

Growing Serious.

The Break at Catfish Point Widening.
GREAT DAMAGE ALREADY DONE.

The Water Reaches Greenville, Flooding the Main Business Street—One Hundred Houses Swept Away on the Peninsula and Ten Negroes Drowned, Plantations Ruined and Everything Movable Carried Off by the Current—Great Distress Among the Colored People.

GREENVILLE, Miss., April 7.—From the latest reports received the crevasse at Catfish Point is from 1,700 to 1,800 feet wide and increasing. The levee there is very sandy, and the wash will be bad. The water has reached Greenville and up to this writing has risen one foot in one street, and is still rising steadily. Washington avenue, the main business street, is now one sheet of water from the corner of Poplar street to the race track, and water is making its way over the sidewalks into the following stores: Moore & Archer's drug store, Vornum Brothers, Garrison & Jackson's and Henning's furniture establishments. A great many people had to vacate their residences.

All the ditches and other channels leading to the southern high portion of the town, are being dammed up to preserve the ridge situated between Washington and Central avenues. From being flooded, as this spot will perhaps in a few days be the only available piece of land where the main houses, stores, etc., etc., could be congregated and kept out of the water until the flood falls.

Parties who have arrived from Greenville, the greater part of their journey being made by skiff, describe the situation in the Southern town as a terrible sight to be looked upon. At an astonishing speed the water is spreading over the vast improved and cultivated lands and forests of our planters, many of whom would have been at the end of another week or so, through with their planting. Through all descriptions and fences in long sections are easily carried away by the terrific currents, and every conceivable household object is seen floating down the Bogie. Phadja, however, a stock of goods which had been transported are now being hurried to the front by those who have not taken precautionary steps.

In the neighborhood of Skippville, tents are badly needed by the colored people. The levee there, we are informed, presents a person with kindly feeling and sober thoughts a terrible sight, which must grow greater in the future. If substantial aid and speedy relief do not come. At every step the colored laborer, his family and his, are found almost destitute, arrayed in garments that afford them but little protection from the howling winds. For shelter they have nothing but the canopy of heaven and the night dews in pity must weep as they fall. If no assistance comes to these people many will die from exposure.

George Hogg, son of the sheriff, was shot Friday morning. Nelson Egan was called to his door Tuesday and shot. It seems to be a mere question of "whisky or no whisky."

It is a matter of fact that the water is rising. Captain Hilder left yesterday from Skippville with two barges to help Capt. Tolinger to get out the people and stock at Catfish Point, where assistance is badly needed. In the vicinity of Winterville a great many cattle are dying from the lack of food. At Monmouth, La., a landing, seven miles below Catfish Point, the river fell two feet yesterday, doubt owing to the large break which is said to discharge a volume of water in a vertical way that has rarely been witnessed in the history of its nature. The Lake Washington country, its highest point, is rapidly disappearing—out of sight, a thing which has not been known since 1854.

SWEEP THE PENINSULA.

One Hundred Houses Washed Away by the Break—Planters Badly Crippled.
ARKANSAS CITY, Ark., April 7.—As soon as news of the break at Catfish Point reached here the government steamers Speed and Graham took several barges to that point and brought away about 150 people and their effects, also a lot of stock, etc. Capt. Tollinger, of the government service, is on the ground, directing everything in the way of property. Those who wish to come will be brought here by the government boats and quarters will be given.

People who visited the scene of the disaster state that the torrent coming out of the opening here is of a terrific force. Although this is much the largest break that has yet occurred on the Mississippi side, the terror that will be affected by it will be comparatively small. Outside of the Catfish point, the main body of the water will reach but little territory that was not already inundated by the crevasses around, Huntington and O'Fallon, but the destruction of property in this little peninsula is fearful.

The planters who owned the plantations around Catfish Point are almost ruined. It is estimated that over a hundred houses have been washed away, and there is very little hay, corn or planting seed left. The planters will be so badly crippled that they will not be able to do much in the way of crop even if the water recedes in time. The flood has left almost nothing. The whole land was filled with water as high as that in the river within a few hours after the break occurred. Saturday the back water broke through the levee at Eutaw landing, in the lower end of the bend, and it is now running back into the river. It is thought that several lives were lost.

Railroad Tracks Washed Out.
ROLLING FORK, Miss., April 7.—The water in Deer creek has risen four feet in the last thirty-six hours, and is now running over its banks on the east side, and is still rising at the rate of half an inch an hour. Every foot of dry land in Rolling Fork will be under water before morning.

One Hundred Feet Under Water.
DALLAS, Tex., April 7.—The Trinity river, like all others, is overflowing its bottom, and much damage is resulting therefrom by the drowning of stock and the breaking of the unfinished city water works above the city last night, and now the new \$30,000 pumping engine is inundated feet under water. The unfinished reservoir will also sustain damages to the extent of many thousands of dollars.

Many Colored People Drowned.
VICKSBURG, Miss., April 7.—A raft containing twenty negroes, who were trying to escape the rising water, was capsized Saturday in the mouth of the Bogie. The rapid current having carried the raft craft against a tree. Only thirteen negroes were saved. All were Alabama negroes, and not acquainted with such vicissitudes.

Yesterday, while a colored man with three women in a skiff were fleeing from the approaching flood in the Bogie country, on the Georgia Pacific railroad, the skiff commenced leaking, and before any assistance could be rendered, the whole party went down. The man had a narrow escape, but the three women were swallowed up by the flood.

A Warning Sent Out.
BAYON, La., April 7.—Capt. Kingsman, United States engineer in charge of this levee district, warns the people to look out for at least eight inches higher water. He has been inspecting the levees between here and New Orleans. He reports the point Coupee front in good condition, except at the Preston place, opposite here, and

materials for strengthening the levee have arrived there. Morgan's levee, which protects a large part of south-west Louisiana, is being strengthened and carefully guarded.

Levee Cut.
ARKANSAS CITY, Ark., April 7.—A crevasse in Bogie bayou levee has caused the water inside the levee to rise slowly. Capt. Tollinger was informed at 1 o'clock this morning that Red Fork people had cut the levee and that the break was sixty feet wide. He started at once with men and material to close it. The Bogie bayou levee is a very important one for this section.

PASSING RAPIDLY AWAY.
The Great Army of Veterans Who Fought in the Rebellion.

WASHINGTON, April 5.—Commissioner Raum has prepared a mass of statistics bearing on pending pension legislation, which must attract universal interest. They are not only important, but there is one feature of them which will startle the statistics of the future. The country has long been aware of the rapidly withering of the war veterans, and the statistics of the future will startle the statistics of the future. The country has long been aware of the rapidly withering of the war veterans, and the statistics of the future will startle the statistics of the future.

This is a new view of the cost of saving a veteran's life, which is difficult for the mind to grasp in its magnitude. Scarcely less startling are the estimates that 200,000 veterans will die in the next six years; that in twelve years the number will have reached 450,000; and that this roll in eighteen years will have swelled to 700,000—thus duplicating the loss of the war.

ROWAN COUNTY, KY.
Lawlessness Again Makes Its Appearance in the Neighborhood of Skippville. The appearance in Rowan county, growing out of the whiskey, the United States revenue men made a sweep a week ago, destroying stills and things.

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A Murderer's Remorse.
CANTON, O., April 8.—Henry Popp, the murderer of Morris Grether, sentenced to die, was taken to the gallows today. He was a prominent citizen. The funeral will be a large one, as nine out of ten of which he was a member survive him, the eldest being 13 years old.

Explosion in a Tunnel.
SANTA BARBARA, Cal., April 5.—An explosion occurred Friday morning in the tunnel of the Santa Barbara & San Juan, near San Juan, where oil is being bored for. Two men were killed, one of whom has since died. While workmen were removing the wreckage, an explosion occurred, and then in the collapsed tunnel. Five are known to be dead. The names of three are known: Hamilton, Britton, and the head of the company, Taylor & Young.

A Poor Carpenter Made Suddenly Rich.
SPRINGFIELD, O., April 5.—James Wood, a poor carpenter of this place, received intelligence two months ago that he was heir to an immense fortune. He was heir to an immense fortune. He was heir to an immense fortune. He was heir to an immense fortune.

A Sixteen-Year-Old Murderer.
JEFFERSONVILLE, Ind., April 8.—John Aldridge and William Gleason, aged respectively 16 years, employed at the cannery, quarreled over a trivial matter. Gleason declined to fight and started away. Aldridge picked up a washbasin and threw it at Gleason, hitting him at the forehead. Aldridge ran home where he was shortly afterwards arrested.

Belling Mills Destroyed.
WILMINGTON, Del., April 7.—Fire destroyed the rolling mill and office of the Johnson Forge company last night. The forge mill and five pulling furnaces were saved. Much valuable machinery is damaged and one hundred men are out of work. Loss about \$15,000, well insured.

A Costly Cigar.
NEW BEDFORD, Mass., April 7.—Some one of a party of men in the wood Cummings Hill, Russell Mills, yesterday dropped a lighted cigar, setting the timber on fire. The fire spread rapidly, and a number of small structures were burned. Loss \$30,000, well insured.

The Insurance Company's Loss.
WORCESTER, Mass., April 7.—The Forest bank occupied by Taylor's hotel and a number of small structures were burned this morning. Loss \$30,000, well insured.

Highest of all in Invening Power.—U. S. Gov't Report, Aug. 17, 1889.

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One-Quarter of the Year

A Review of Trade During That Time.
NO FINANCIAL DISTURBANCE.

On the Other Hand Business is Better Than It Was One Year Ago at the Present Time—Foreign Trade Heavier Than Usual—Brilliant Prospects for the Future.

NEW YORK, April 5.—R. G. Dun & Company's weekly review of trade says: The first quarter of the year has passed without the financial disturbance which many saw reason to fear, with fewer failures than in the same quarter of last year, and smaller liabilities by 22 per cent., with a larger railroad tonnage than in the same quarter of any previous year, and with larger payments than ever through bankers, clearing houses outside of New York. Foreign trade has been heavier than ever for the season, and domestic consumption has been at the maximum in nearly all other lines.

The money market is no longer a center of apprehension. Rates here have been about steady at 4 per cent. on call. Foreign exchange is a trifle stronger, but still only a shade above par, and new from monetary sources abroad is generally favorable. Moreover, returns of commerce indicate a considerable excess of exports over imports in March. The money markets of the interior are more satisfactory.

The failures of a woolen commission house here and a manufacturing establishment in Pennsylvania came just when there were signs of better demand by manufacturers for wool at Boston, here and at Philadelphia. On large sales concessions are still made, but the manufacturers reason that the present tariff bill will prevent sales of the new clip at lower than current rates, while it may give them a better market for goods. Reports of the boot and shoe and leather industry are nearly all favorable, but strong opposition is made to the proposed duty on hides.

Reports of trade from the interior cities are generally favorable. New Orleans notes the sensation the exaggerations of the western cities report of business here with the demand for past quarter has been slow and at receding prices. The aggregate of liabilities was \$7,839,968 against \$10,922,045 last year.

Business failures occurring throughout the country during the last seven days for the United States, 1889 for Canada, 17; total 306, compared with 343 last week. For the corresponding week of last year the number of failures was 311. The number of firms during the first quarter of 1890 was 3,323 against 3,311 last year, with decided decrease at the end of the quarter in the Pacific states but increase in the middle and northern states. The aggregate of liabilities was \$7,839,968 against \$10,922,045 last year.

A Tramp and His Sweetheart.
FRANKFORT, Ind., April 5.—Four tramps broke into the Vandallia depot here with the intention of robbery, but were discovered by the officers and given a chase. One of them, H. K. Fox, was captured near the spot, but the other three succeeded in reaching Crawfordville, where they were promptly seized by the officers there. Fox, from appearance, is of good family, with a home at Robinson, Ill. Among the letters in his possession was one from his sweetheart, signed Edie, written in a beautiful hand on a printed letter head of T. Shaw, superintendent of the schools of Crawford county. It is dated at Robinson, and tells "Kie" to be a good little boy.

A Beautiful Water Cattle.
WINDSOR, Ind., April 5.—This town is wild with excitement over the striking of a valuable spring of medicinal water. Yesterday, while drilling for natural gas, the drill at a depth of 1,000 feet, struck a vein of water which at once began to flow out of the top of the well at a stream six inches in diameter and spouting two feet in the air. Mixed with the water is quite a flow of gas, which on being set on fire, burns fiercely at the top of the column of water, making a very beautiful and novel sight. The water is clear and of undoubted medicinal properties.

Prospects of a Light Sentence.
GRAND RAPIDS, Mich., April 5.—Charles J. Toet, the embuizing United States Express company's cashier, who voluntarily returned from South America upon a charge of conspiracy, gave himself up, pleaded guilty yesterday to the superior court. He will be sentenced next Wednesday. He took up a sum of \$1,800 in money and diamonds and has returned \$1,000 in money and some of the diamonds.

Finally Took His Life.
SIOUX FALLS, S. Dak., April 5.—A Hartford, yesterday, C. E. Wehler, the village justice, who, for months, has brooded over imaginary troubles and threatened suicide, discharged both barrels of a gun into his mouth, literally blowing his head to atoms.

Went 173 Years.
NEW HOLLAND, O., April 7.—Mrs. Margaret Arnold, the oldest woman in this county, if not in the state, died Friday night. She was born in Augusta county, Va., July 4, 1717, and was consequently nearly 113 at her death. Mrs. Arnold was married in 1826, and was the mother of five children, all of whom are dead except Henry, with whom she lived at the time of her death. She came to Ohio from Virginia in 1817, residing here ever since except twenty-eight years spent in Illinois.

Dynamite Explosion and Kills Two Men.
BARTON, N. Y., April 7.—A terrific explosion shook the buildings and broke window panes at the Barton City island and Fulton bridge Saturday afternoon. A building of Dittmar's dynamite works, at Barchester, had blown up, killing James H. Kolmer and Max Schulte. The explosion left a hole six feet deep and twenty feet long where the building stood. The dynamite works were turned out of the new aqueduct.

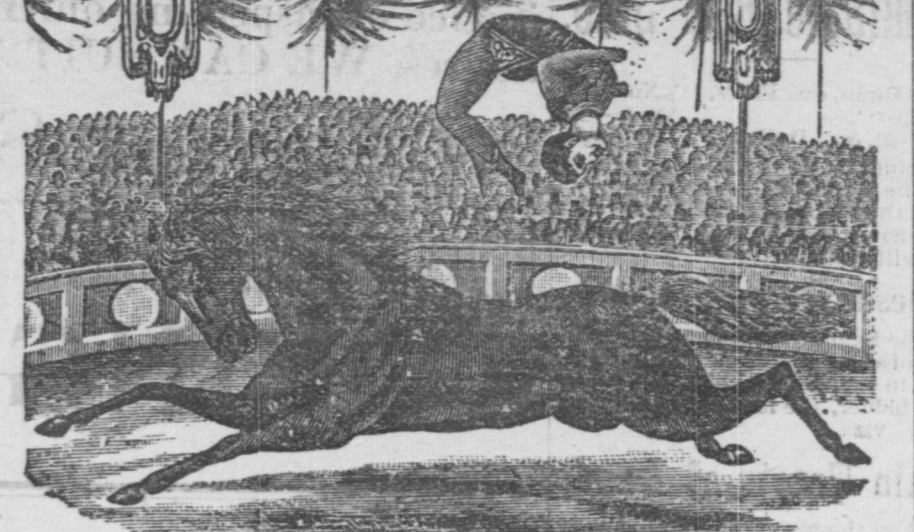
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Dissolution Notice.

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The Legislature appropriated \$30,000 to the tornado sufferers.

The bill passed the House last week creating a Commission of Court in Judge Lilly's district.

The legislative joint committee reports in favor of a new lunatic asylum. The three already existing are greatly over crowded and a new one seems the only way out of the trouble.

The Republican State Central Committee met in Louisville on last Wednesday, to select a member for the National Republican Executive Committee, made vacant by the death of Judge Wm. C. Goodloe. W. O. Bradley and George Denny were applicants, and no decision was reached.

The Democrats of Madison demand a Democratic candidate for Delegate to the Constitutional convention. He had as well be forthcoming. In fact, he must come. There are questions to be discussed. Let the county committee fix a day for the mass convention.

The tax-reduction bill, vetoed by the Governor, was passed by the House over the veto by a considerable majority. Hon. W. B. Smith led the debate in favor of the bill, and some of the Governor's friends complain that Mr. Smith had conveyed the idea to the Governor that the bill should be vetoed. We have not heard from Mr. Smith, but suppose there are two sides to the question.

TWENTY-FIFTH ANNIVERSARY OF ABOLITION.

A quarter of a century ago today, Wednesday, April 9th, 1865, the Army of Northern Virginia, under Lee, surrendered to the Army of the Potomac, under Grant, and thus closed a bloody war of four years, that cost the Government three billion dollars, and sacrificed millions of dollars worth of property and thousands of lives.

It does not seem so long, but twenty-five years have gone, and with them have passed away the heroes of the struggle—Davis, Lincoln, Lee, Grant and nearly all the lesser lights.

The institution of slavery expired, and a new order of existence took its place. The South of today is greater than the South of old.

PINE SHIPPED FROM THE STATE OF TEXAS TO THE STATE OF MAINE.

The Baltimore Manufacturers' Record says:

The interest taken by Northern lumbermen in Southern forests is steadily increasing. Nearly every week we are advised of heavy purchases made, of great value to be built, and of prospecting parties of wealthy men from the North. But one of the most significant indications of the trend in this direction appeared in a late number of the Mississippi Valley Lumberman, published at Minneapolis, Minn., which we reproduce elsewhere in this issue. The story told by Mr. Van Schick of what he saw in the course of a three weeks' journey between Pensacola and Galveston, and the figures he gives, showing the difference between the costs of pine forests South and North and of the greater quantity of lumber to the tree, will attract general attention throughout the Northwest and induce many others to seek suitable investments. The most startling statement made by Mr. Van Schick, and one that will set many to thinking, is that of two cargoes of bridge timber which were shipped from Orange, Texas, to Portland, Me., for the use of the Grand Trunk Railroad. The two ships would pass every Gulf port east of Galveston and all of those along the Atlantic coast on their way to their destination, then their cargoes would be transferred to a railroad and be transported over it through a timber country. The whole interview is a valuable contribution to the history of the South's lumber developments.

THE LEXINGTON AND RICHMOND RAILROAD CHARTER VETOED BY THE GOVERNOR.

By one message, Governor Buckner vetoed two bills—one to charter the Lexington and Richmond Railroad, the other to charter the Central Electric Company of Lexington, the corporations being, as he states, the same. The Electric Company is composed of two old companies, the charter of one having expired, but the rights and powers of which would be restored by the vetoed bill. The Governor says:

"The present bill proposes not only to revive the dead charter by infusing into it the breath of fresh legislation, but to give it enlarged powers by conferring upon its successor the 'Central Electric Company' dangerous and unconstitutional powers not for the limited term of twenty-five years, but by giving it perpetual succession."

Of the railroad charter, the Governor says:

"The fifth and sixth sections of the proposed charter of the railway company place the organization, by the payment of a very small sum on their part, completely under the control of the corporations."

"The fifteenth section, while limiting, generally, the rights of way to 100 feet, which is wider than necessary, authorizes, without proper restrictions, condemnations of property to a greater extent, apparently, whenever desired by the company, for any purpose."

"The eighteenth section authorizes the condemnation of turpines, for those roads to condemn new grounds for their road-bed, and empowers the railway to change its route even after location."

"The twentieth section authorizes the company to consolidate or connect its railway with any other line constructed, or to be constructed, and pow-

er is given the company with which it may consolidate to carry out the arrangements made 'by lease, purchase or otherwise,' and 'any company engaged in building, or operating any railroad in this State is hereby authorized to acquire by subscription, or otherwise, or to guarantee any portion of the capital stock or bonds of said company.'"

"The twenty-third section and following limit the subscription of Fayette county to \$50,000; but no limit is imposed on the subscription of Madison county or the city of Lexington. The hours of election and places for voting may be restricted at the pleasure of those making the order, and the cost of the election is to be borne by the localities."

"Sections 25, 26, and 27 provide that in the event of a subscription being thereupon subscribed for the stock voted, and proceed to make the necessary levy to pay the interest and provide for the payment of the principle of the indebtedness thus incurred, apparently without waiting for the construction of the road."

"The 33d section provides, if the Board of Directors so order, for subscription to the stock by any person or corporation and the 35th section authorizes payments of stock to be made in cash or other property real or personal."

"Nothing in the charter imposes on the company any duty either to complete the road or even to begin work; and there is no provision to forfeit any of the extensive franchises it receives in its failure to begin work, except the right to claim a subscription which must be asked for within twelve months; but having been once asked for, it may be inferred that the request may be repeated and its franchises retained unimpaired."

"When the various powers granted to this company are considered in connection with each other, it may be reasonably inferred that it may receive the subscriptions voted and a pledge of the bonds that it may then change the line of its roadway to the injury of the interests of our people; may remove the office of the company and hold its meetings in a distant State or foreign country."

"It might even happen, if the terms proposed to be voted on in regard to construction are not carefully guarded that the line proposed might be entirely abandoned and that the sale of the franchise might provide for the location of the road, along the right of way of some existing railway and the transfer of the subsidy to the existing line, without increasing the present liability of railway. If it be so, the local authorities would be put to guard the interests of the people in this respect, it can be said that the Legislative department of the State should so protect the interests of the people as to place it beyond the power of any local authorities, either from oversight or otherwise, to imperil the interests of the public by placing it in the power of a corporation to inflict such a wrong."

MIXED.

A runaway couple giving their names as J. W. Middleton and Josephine Rice, were married last week at Williamsport. The young lady made affidavit that she was twenty-one years of age, although she had a very youthful appearance. Elsewhere in this issue is announced the marriage of Jas. Rice and Miss Amanda Middleton. The remarkable feature of these marriages is the tangled relationship that has been brought about between the contracting parties and their families, which makes a puzzle of the kinship existing between them. Rice, 40, is a groom having been widowed with offspring. The mixture goes as follows: Rice married a sister of Middleton, and Middleton married a daughter of Rice. This makes Middleton's own sister his mother-in-law, and Middleton's wife a sister-in-law to her own father. Rice and Miss Amanda Middleton, Middleton's father-in-law's brother-in-law, and Middleton's wife a sister-in-law to her step-mother and Middleton's own sister his mother-in-law. The children of Middleton and Middleton's wife are Rice's children. What kin and what will be Rice's children to those of Middleton?—Georgetown Times.

ARBOR DAY PROCLAMATION.

Frankfort, Ky., April 1, 1890.—In conformity with the law, I, S. B. Buckner, Governor of the State of Kentucky, do hereby designate Saturday, April 12th as Arbor Day, and recommend that all public schools and colleges of the State observe the same by suitable exercises, having for their object the imparting of knowledge in arboriculture and the adornment of school and public grounds. S. B. BUCKNER.

NOT IDEAL.

The Legislature has not been wholly ideal. Thus far 1,395 bills have been offered, 728 of them are in the hands of committees, 229 are in the Senate, 47 have been rejected in the House, 13 killed in the Senate, 15 vetoed, 58 are laws without receiving the Governor's signature, and 261 have been approved by the Governor. But most of these bills are of a local nature.—Midway Clipper.

Ron. Curtis F. Burnam, one of the most distinguished lawyers in the State and a man of the highest character personally, is announced as a candidate for delegate to the Constitutional Convention from Madison county.—Mt. Sterling Gazette.

Miss Rebecca Shipley, the woman arrested in Philadelphia on charge of shop-lifting \$700 worth of goods from a department store, is to be released, and is to be a respected woman, a church member and a wealthy resident of Staunton, Va., who has given as much as \$1,000 at a time to charity. Miss Shipley's mind is said to be affected.

The trial of Charles E. Kincaid, for the killing of W. P. Taubert, will probably take place at the May term of the criminal court of the District of Columbia.

Gen. Thomas C. Anderson, a prominent Louisiana politician and a member of the famous Returning Board of 1876, is dead at New Orleans.

Mrs. Dudley sold her place of thirty-two acres on Main Street, in Lexington, opposite Mrs. Goodloe, for \$32,000.

CONCERNING FARMERS.

In Lincoln county, 56 shoats, weight 70 pounds, sold for \$1 cents.

The Michigan fruit growers report that only a third of a crop of peaches is left to them.

The farm of Joshua Hill, of Fayette, on the Bryant Station pike, containing 165 acres, has been sold to B. Magellan at \$122 per acre.

In Spain and Portugal inquiry for wheat is not being fully met by home production, and the demand for imports is consequently growing.

Thos. Woods, of Keene, sold his crop of tobacco of 10,000 pounds, to F. H. Dickey, at \$1 cents all around. Mr. Dickey also bought B. R. Randolph's crop at 8 cents.—Nicholasville Journal.

There is an exhibition at the store of Mr. Eugene Rucker the first ball of Binder Twine made by the Blue Grass Cordage Factory, and the first twine ever made in the county.—Georgetown Times.

A Denver, Colorado, telegram of the 4th says: Ayer, McKinley & Co. of Philadelphia, to-day purchased the Right-of-way of 100 head of St. Lambert Jerseys for \$40,000 cash. The herd will be shipped to Pennsylvania.

I. C. & N. P. Vannomer sold in Louisville this week the Blackwell crop of tobacco, about 17,000 lbs., at an average price of \$14.40 per hundred. They also sold eight hogsheads of another crop at 71 cents.—Winchester Democrat.

Haden Kendall sold last Thursday his farm on the Lexington pike 2 1/2 miles east of Versailles, containing, about 400 acres to Hardin Field, containing about \$88,000. This is one of the finest and best improved farms in the county.—Midway Clipper.

Heavy rains have fallen in the Western and Northwestern States during the present week, much to the relief of the farmers, who feared a continuation of the drought had prevailed. The rains have greatly benefited the winter wheat crop and the cattle ranges of the West.

Messrs. Jas. W. Miller and Will H. Edwards have purchased Mr. Hardin Field's farm of 407 acres, on the Clinton Turnpike, four miles from Versailles. Mr. Edwards gets about 100 acres for which he pays \$39 per acre, and Mr. Miller gets the remainder at \$47.—Versailles Sun.

During the past week Mr. T. M. Parrish sold 125,000 pounds of tobacco to Robert Hare, of Louisville, at 9 cents, and 90,000 pounds to Mr. Kirkpatrick, of Mt. Sterling, 70,000 pounds at 9 cents about 20,000 pounds at 6 1/2 cents. The sale amounted to about \$100,000.—Midway Clipper.

Shipments of wheat from India for week ended, March 15 to United Kingdom, 80,000 bus.; Continent, 240,000 bus. For week ended March 15 to United Kingdom 140,000 bus.; Continent, 40,000 bus. For week ended March 15 to United Kingdom 40,000 bus.; Continent 180,000 bus.—Journal of Commerce.

Nicholasville Contract and Investment Company closed a trade with Mr. Robert Duncan for his beautiful farm, on the border of town, lying on both sides of the Lexington pike. The new railroad runs through the property. The tract contains some 185 acres, ten of which, with the dwelling, Mr. Duncan retains as a homestead. The price paid was \$200 per acre—equivalent to cash payments. The farm costs the Company some \$35,000.

The winter packing of pork at Cincinnati, according to the figures prepared by Col. Sidney D. Maxwell, Superintendent of the Chamber of Commerce, shows an aggregate of 271,513 hogs, which is a decrease from last year's packing of 28,569; while the decrease in gross weight is 11,739,215 pounds. The average cost per 100 pounds is \$3.74 3/4, a decrease from last year's cost of \$1.40 3/4. The aggregate number of hogs packed has not been so small since 1847, when it was 250,000.

We interviewed quite a number of our farmers Monday in regard to the state of the wheat crop since the late freeze and find that most of them think the wheat seriously injured. In many places it had begun to joint, and being killed below the joint it is sprouting again from the root. This second crop is said to be peculiarly susceptible to rust, and is also apt to be full of chaff. In many places it is reported to have frozen out, even the roots being killed. Other farmers think that much of it is drowned out by the excessive fall rain. The crop is undoubtedly injured, but what extent the loss alone will show.—Winchester Democrat.

Among the interesting and important side questions that have arisen during these Congressional investigations is one of more moment to the cotton-growing States than all the others. It is as to the delicate value of cotton-seed oil. Is this oil really and truly entitled to recognition as a wholesome and therefore a desirable addition to the long catalogue of humanity's food? If it is, then the South will have a new source of demand for one of its agricultural products; and if cotton-seed oil is equal in all respects to the pressed seed from the olive, it will have another industry added to its ever lengthening list.

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Editor Climax:

We wish to say through the medium of your paper to our friends that notwithstanding our warehouse was partially destroyed by the tornado Tuesday night March 27, we have secured a warehouse and will commence selling on the brakes next week. Our storage capacity will enable us to give good storage for 10,000 hogsheads. We will immediately rebuild on our present site. Respectfully, &c., J. S. PHILIPS & Co.

The suit of Col. Thos. Turner against Col. Thos. Johnson, for \$30,000 damages, back rent, etc., arising out of their famous Missouri land suit, has been on trial in the Common Pleas Court for more than a week. It is a regular Jarndyce and Jarndyce affair, and may not be concluded for several days. The plaintiffs' lawyers are Young, Mitchell & Young, Wood & Day, J. H. Tamm and C. G. Turner; those of the defendant are Stone & South, and White & Brooks.—Mt. Sterling Sentinel.

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Mr. Benson Cobb has sold his Valerian to Mr. B. H. Neale, for \$300.

The gripped did not kill H. B. Dillingham's fine young Valerian, out of Count Wilkes mare by Belmont Wilkes, one of the dandy colts of the county.

It will be nine years next August since K. Sympson charged down the home stretch at Rochester and finished in 2:18. She sold last week for \$4,000.

Warlock, the excellent California horse from the celebrated Palo Alto farm, is advertised in to-day's CLIMAX. Examine his pedigree and see if you can do any better.

Wild Rake, 2:22 3/4, by Hambletonian Mambrino, dam Merry by John Dillard, was sold recently for \$5,000. Wild Rake's record was made at Lexington, September 30, 1896.—Stock Farm.

The celebrated Woodburn Farm has held twenty-one annual sales of yearling thoroughbreds and trotters, at which 782 head have been sold for \$542,401, an average of \$692.—Farmers Home Journal.

Count Valentin was much disappointed with the prices secured for his stock. He brought twenty-three head from California. The average per head was only \$926, against \$2,054.60 for the Pleasanton lot, says a New York exchange.

At the McKimmin Combination Sale at Nashville last week, there was a good attendance and stock brought satisfactory prices. The sale catalogue was mostly of useful harness and saddle horses, and they brought an aggregate of \$17,100—averaging \$196.

Hon. Claude Thomas, who has just returned from the horse sales in the East, sold about \$10,000 worth of horses while gone. Mr. Thomas' fine stock farm near North Middletown, Bourbon county, just gives him vast pleasure in his equally successful engagements in politics.—Louisville Times.

Said a very prominent horseman a few days since: "One hundred thousand dollars looks like a very large price for a horse, but you and I, if we live to be old men, will probably see the time when some station will sell for \$300,000. The best station will continue to increase in value while a good many strains of inferior merit will disappear. It will be a continual strife for the 'survival of the fittest,' and the very greatest horses will year by year increase in value."—Massachusetts Ploughman.

The Marcus Daniel Ranch, near the young town of Riverside, Mont., has a fine collection of stock horses and trotters. It is there that the great \$60,000 colt Macot, the \$5,000 Favorita, \$15,000 Yolo Maid, St. Valor, "Mike," a wonderful \$15,000 yearling, and Hattie D. Lord Byron, Prodigal, Senator, St. Patrick, Brown Silk, Fannie Witherspoon, Boston and other celebrated and winning animals, representing an investment of a quarter of a million of dollars, have their home.

William M. Irvine has five brood mares that prematurely dropped their colts the past few days, and I. Shelby Irvine has one mare and thirteen jennets that lost their colts in the same way, one of the jennets having twins. These mares and jennets are all fine stock, bred to pedigreed animals, and the loss is great. It is believed that this destruction arises from an atmospheric trouble among horse and jack stock similar to or possibly exactly like the gripe with which people have suffered so much. In Fayette and other counties, the trouble has been greater even than in Madison. W. C. France, of Lexington, has lost thirty-seven colts.

"At these public auctions," said the owner of Maud S., at the Kellogg sale, "I think the hesitation and waiting for bargains is a mistake. If a man sees an animal he wants, let him bid what he thinks is the value, and he is more apt to have it knocked down to him. Sometimes I have used a little discretion in this respect for my own protection, as some one seeing I wanted a particular horse might try to run up the price." Mr. Bonner explained this idea upon the remarks above quoted by making a plump offer of \$10,000 for the two-year old filly Verano, and securing her without any competition.—Stock Farm.

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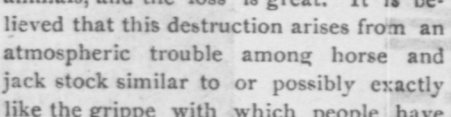
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Probable Program of the Week's Proceedings.

PLENTY OF EXECUTIVE WORK.
A Number of Nominations to be Acted on by the Senate in Secret Session, Contested Election Cases to be Disposed of—Other Washington News.
WASHINGTON, April 7.—The third day of the consideration of the Florida nominations in the Senate during the week just ended was taken from the time which would have been devoted to general executive business, so the executive calendar is now pretty well crowded with nominations. To dispose of these will be one of the chief duties of the Senate during the week to come. So far as is known there are no nominations now on the calendar over which there is any dispute, and the business of the secret session will therefore be disposed of, in all likelihood, at a rapid rate. Several secret sessions of an hour or so each during the week will serve to clear the calendar of the nominations now pending.

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SHOT BY A TRAMP.

A Conductor on the Fort Wayne Railroad shot Near—
AKRON, O., April 7.—At Cuyahoga Falls, a few miles north of this city, Saturday, as the 11-year-old daughter of Nightwatchman Rhodes was passing along an unfrequented street she was caught by a tramp who stifled her cries with his hand and carried her into a wood where he kept her for three hours. The child was recovered late at night and taken to a physician, who pronounced her recovery as very doubtful. A page of hundred rods at once organized to search for the tramp, and all the roads are guarded by horsemen, while the fields are being scoured. Capture means a lynching.

MARSHAL MURDERED.

While attempting to arrest a Party of Thieves—Three of the Gang Shot.
BIRMINGHAM, Ala., April 7.—At Ivorydale, six miles north of this city, late Sunday afternoon, Town Marshal England and Deputy Sheriff Fortenberry attempted to arrest a crowd of negroes on a charge of larceny. The negroes opened fire on the officers, shooting down Marshal England and at the first fire.

Impaled on a Pitchfork.

PORT WYNN, Ind., April 7.—John E. Whicker, a young farmer, who lives on the west side of this city, just across the county line of Whitley county, met with a terrible accident Friday night. He was in a large barn, and the stock, after he had thrown down from the roof, he dropped his pitchfork, which struck the barn floor with its two prongs sticking straight up. Mr. Whicker, in some way, lost his balance, and fell head first into the pitchfork, which penetrated his abdomen, passing clear through his body. Medical aid was summoned, but the man died before doctors had time to reach him. Whicker was to have been married in a week to a young lady of Cass.

Ex-Congressman in Trouble.

INDIANAPOLIS, April 7.—Representative Wilson, of Shelby county, was arrested Friday night on an indictment for conspiracy to defraud. He gave bond for his appearance.

BROOM-RAPE OF HEMP AND TOBACCO.

H. Garman, Botanist, Agricultural Experiment Station, Lexington, says:
This parasite of hemp and tobacco was brought to my notice toward the close of last summer. At that time its growing season was past, and most of the plants had been cut down. A cursory examination of it in the field showed that serious injury had been done by it in several counties, and from its general distribution among hemp and tobacco in the region about Lexington, it was evident that it was a new pest to be apprehended. I have stated that the plant has been known in Kentucky at least three years. Subsequent inquiry among farmers shows that while most of them had first observed it about three years ago, some had seen it earlier. Mr. Standish is of Jessamine county, states that he observed the pest on his tobacco in 1880. He had previously noticed that hemp did not grow well on this land, and although he did not see the broom-rape among it, he thinks now that it was there when he bought the land in 1879. Mr. John Steele, also of Jessamine county, informs me that an old farmer of his neighborhood who has known many years, declares that the pest was observed in hemp fields fifty years ago, and that old colored men long familiar with hemp growing in that section make statements to him. It is safe to say, therefore, that broom-rape has been in this region ten years at least, but there can be little doubt but that it has only recently become severely destructive.

Weather Crop Bulletin.

WASHINGTON, April 7.—The weather crop bulletin for the week ending today says: Recent rains have placed the ground in excellent condition for seeding and farm work over the greater part of Iowa, Nebraska, Minnesota, Michigan and Dakota, although in the extreme north dry weather continues. Throughout the winter wheat belt from Ohio to Kansas and southward to the Gulf States, the crops are generally retarded, owing to excessive rains, the season being from two to three weeks late, although wheat is reported as having improved and oats and grass look better.

State Department Silent.

WASHINGTON, April 7.—The state department is like a church—it is practically shut up. The officials who are in charge are not at liberty to say anything for publication, and Secretary Blaine, who is not to be seen. All efforts to find out anything about the recent or pending investigations about the fisheries have been fruitless. The question in the Behring sea, or the reciprocal negotiations with South American republics have been the subject of much discussion. The state department officials will not even admit that such negotiations are in progress. They have even gone so far as to refuse to affirm that Mr. Charles Tupper was in Washington, when he could be seen any day at the residence of the secretary. Several facts have been published, but no information of public interest is given out from the state department. Secretary Blaine is the medium of communication between the public and the secretary. He has been the subject of many of his warmest friends' much indignation by his secretiveness about affairs in which the public has a right to be informed.

SETTLE IMMEDIATELY.

The firm of WALLACE & BOGGS, Richmond, Ky., having dissolved, I desire that all persons, indebted to me, call at once at the old stand and settle. This means all accounts up to March 31, 1890, the day of dissolution.
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